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Golden Wedding Day Will Be Observed Reception For All

An anniversary of unusual interest will take place here Tuesday, June 13 when Mr. and Mrs. Ambert G. Moody celebrate their golden wedding. Mr. Moody, a nephew of D. L. Moody, who founded the Northfield Schools, has been associated with the institution since the day it opened in 1879 and Mrs. Moody was one of the early graduates.

A reception for the friends and family will be held from three to five and eight to 10 p. m. at the Northfield Hotel, of which Mr. Moody was manager for 40 years. Formal invitations have been issued but all will be welcomed.

Among the other official posts Mr. Moody has filled during his 65 year association with the Northfield Schools are: clerk of the board of trustees, assistant treasurer, and business manager of the Northfield Summer Conferences. He retired from active duty a few years ago but still retains membership on the board of trustees.

He graduated from Mount Hermon in 1888 and from Amherst college in 1892. In college he was a member of Sigma Upsilon fraternity and has been treasurer of his class since graduation. During his school and college days Mr. Moody retained his connection with the business affairs of the institution and while at Amherst returned each week-end to take care of hotel and conference correspondence.

Chairman of the district draft board during the first World War, he has served as director of the First National Bank and Trust Co. and of the Franklin Savings Institution, of Greenfield, and has long been identified with the Congregational church locally and throughout the state.

Mrs. Moody was born Frances G. Wells in Dover, Ill., where her

grandparents went in 1840 from New York state to settle on the virgin soil of the prairie. Her parents, Henry G. and Mary Arnold Wells, like so many other mid-westerners with roots in the east sent their daughter to New England for her education. She entered Northfield Seminary in 1888, graduated in 1891 and graduated from Wellesley in 1895.

Like her husband Mrs. Moody is prominent in Congregational church circles and has for many years been secretary of the Northfield Seminary Students' Aid Society. She has also served as president of the Alumnae association.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody were married June 13, 1894 at the bride's home in Illinois, and early the next year moved into their present home, which is one of the town's landmarks. Although their winters are now spent in the south the Moodys still occupy their Northfield residence each summer and take an active part in school, community, and church life.

The reception next Tuesday is

being given by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Moody, son and daughter-in-law of the couple. The young Moody succeeded his father as manager of the Northfield Hotel.

Will Be Promoted

The promotion exercises of Center school will be held at the Town Hall this Friday evening at eight o'clock. The class of 1944 consists of thirty-four members and an elaborate program has been undertaken. Parents and friends are invited to attend. Rev. Edward Goodbank will pronounce the invocation and the class welcome will be extended by David Powell. The school program until September. A Supt. Taylor and Principal Leonard will announce the special awards. A musical and dramatic production by Mrs. Esther Leonard will be provided. The class colors are blue and gold. Th High school graduation will be next week.

Form A Cub Pack For Young Boys Here

A "cub pack" has been formed in this town with Charles Olds of Winchester Roa das Cubmaster and it has been given a charter and number 49. The organization was prompted and sponsored by the Grange and a committee of Emory Riker, Mrs. Bernard Whitney and Lawrence Ferris was named to take charge. Mrs. Frederick Chapman, Mrs. William Potter, Mrs. L. R. Kirk and Mrs. W. B. Wells are the den mothers at whose residences the groups will meet. The den chiefs are Scouts Goddard Winterbottom, David Quinn and Gordon Leavis. The new organization will have the support of the local Boy Scout Council and officials. The charter and certificates were presented by Orson Smith of Northampton at the Grange hall at the institution meeting on last Thursday in the presence of the many "cubs" and their parents and friends.

The Unitarian Church

On Sunday, 10:45 a. m. Children and Flowers Sunday will be observed. The children of the Church school directed by Mrs. Carroll Miller will present a program of music and readings. Rev. Arthur Heeb, minister, will give a sermonette and lead in a service of dedication. Mrs. L. P. Goodspeed, organist and choir leader. A feature will be a display of potted begonia plants, given to each member of the school at Easter, and now used in decorating the pulpit. Souvenir pictures of the church will be given to each boy or girl enrolled in the school, his service will close the program. A cordial welcome is extended to all parents and friends of the parish.

On Saturday at 3 p. m. a children's party will be held in the vestry. There will be games and music and refreshments to which children of the school and neighboring friends are invited.

The Conferences For This Summer Provide Much Interest And Attractions Optimism For Their Success Prevails

Founded by D. L. Moody in Babcock, Miss Mary Louise Pardee 1880, the Northfield Summer and others.

The Religious Education Conference has exerted a profound influence on the religious life of America. The original gathering was described as "a convocation for prayer", later as the Northfield Bible Conference, and finally as the Northfield General Conference, the name it bears today. Other gatherings devoted to various phases of Christian activities for adults and young people have been added to form the present group of Northfield Conferences, all of which are endeavoring to further the Kingdom of God on earth. Northfield, with its outstanding summer program and unexcelled recreational facilities, offers ideal vacation opportunities to young people and adults of all denominations. A new feature will be a series of laboratory schools for teachers of children, junior high and high school young people. Training will also be provided for all types of workers in weekday church schools.

Among the instructors will be Dr. Joseph L. McCorisson, New England Secretary of the National Conference of Christians and Jews; Mrs. E. E. McClintock, Chicago, National Secretary of Women's Work of the Congregational Christian Churches; Miss Doris P. Dennison of the National Board of Education of the Methodist Church and Rabbi Abraham J. Feldman of Hartford, Connecticut.

The first scheduled conference this season is that of the Northfield Girls Conference which will begin on June 15th and continue to the 22nd.

This Conference which returns to the campus after a year's absence, is an interdenominational gathering for girls of secondary school and college ages and welcomes all who wish to join in the quest for life's fullest meaning.

The program, which is planned to help girls to apply the principles of Christ and Christian living to the problems of the world in which they live, includes Interest Groups, Bible Classes, a Worship Period, and provision is made for Sports and recreation.

Speakers will include Mrs. Harper Sibley, President, The Northfield League; Dr. Albert T. Mollenken, Professor of New Testament and Christian Ethics, Virginia Seminary; The Reverend George Cadigan, Grace Church, Salem Mass. The Reverend Howard L. Rubendall, First Presbyterian Church, Albany, N. Y.; and other outstanding Christian leaders chosen for their understanding of the needs of young people.

The Christian Endeavor Conference will be held from June 28 to July 6. This conference brings together young people from all sections of Massachusetts and the surrounding states for a week of inspiration, study, and fellowship. Through this experience delegates are equipped to assume positions of leadership in the local church and community.

Mornings are devoted to devotional services and class room work; afternoons to rest, study and recreation; sunset time to Vespers and evenings to meetings in which the delegates have a share.

In connection with the regular conference, the North Atlantic Region of the International Society of Christian Endeavor will hold a special conference. This will include leaders from the New England States and New York State, and will be under the supervision of Mr. Ernest S. Marks, Field Secretary for the International Society.

Indications point to a successful summer conference season this summer. Summer residents are coming to occupy their cottages and reservations at the Hotel, Inns and boarding houses are being made.

Babcock, Miss Mary Louise Pardee

and others.

The Religious Education Conference convenes and is in session July 17-26. The program of this joint conference is designed to provide trained leadership for the churches and to give an experience at the commencement exercises at the Northfield General Conference, the name it bears today. Other gatherings devoted to various phases of Christian activities for adults and young people have been added to form the present group of Northfield Conferences, all of which are endeavoring to further the Kingdom of God on earth. Northfield, with its outstanding summer program and unexcelled recreational facilities, offers ideal vacation opportunities to young people and adults of all denominations. A new feature will be a series of laboratory schools for teachers of children, junior high and high school young people. Training will also be provided for all types of workers in weekday church schools.

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Seminary To Graduate At Its Commencement Program Arranged

Diplomas will be granted to 156 girls at Northfield Seminary's sixty-first commencement, scheduled for the coming weekend. Dr. Mira B. Wilson, the principal, will deliver the Baccalaureate address Sunday morning, and Dr. William E. Park, president of the Northfield Schools, will give the address at the commencement exercises Monday morning at 10:30 in Russell Sage Chapel.

Other events on the program are as follows: Saturday, at 2 p. m. Swimming Exhibition; 4 p. m., last Chapel Service; and 8-10 p. m., informal reception to graduates and their guests at Miss Wilson's home.

Sunday at 7:30 a. m., Communion Service. 8 p. m., a recital by Eduard Nies-Berger, organist of the New York Philharmonic Orchestra in Russell Sage Chapel; and 9:30 p. m., Lantern Service on Chapel Hill.

On July 1 Northfield Seminary will adopt the new name, The Northfield School for Girls, recently approved by the trustees of The Northfield Schools.

TOWN TOPICS

If these persons, if living, or one of their heirs, will get in touch with the Editor of this paper, I have some valuable information: Ralph H. Spencer, Fred C. Britton, Clifford H. Chamberlin and Maggie Kiely. Were about in 1903.

It is probable that a very special meeting of the Rustic Ridge Association will be held shortly and notices will be sent out to all members.

Rev. and Mrs. Loring B. Chase have arrived at their summer residence in the Highlands to spend the summer. Rev. Mr. Chase preached at the Metcalf Memorial Chapel in Warwick last Sunday.

Members of the Eastern Star are to give an Old Folks concert in the town hall on Wednesday evening, June 28th and active preparations are under way now with several rehearsals planned.

The Board of Registrars will sit at the Town Hall on Wednesday, June 21st from noon till ten o'clock in the evening to meet all persons who desire to become voters. This is the last opportunity to enroll before the primaries.

You will need a new auto tax stamp for your automobile before July first which cost \$5 and may be had at the various postoffices on and after the 10th of June. It must be displayed on the windshield.

Mrs. William F. Hoehn has returned here after a visit of several weeks in New Jersey with relatives. Her sister Miss Ethel Lawrence accompanied her on the trip home and will reopen her cottage in Mountain Park.

Gives Organ Recital Sunday Evening At 8 In Sage Chapel

The musical feature is a traditional part of the Northfield Commencement and this year will be no exception. The school has been fortunate in securing the services of a foremost artist, Eduard Nies-Berger, official organist of the N. Y. Philharmonic Orchestra, who will give a Recital next Sunday at 8 p. m. in Russell Sage Chapel.

Eduard Nies-Berger, born in Strasbourg, France, received his early musical training from his father, Charles Nies-Berger, Alsatian organist and conductor. At



the age of twelve, he became assistant organist at the Temple Reformed, the Huguenot Church.

Among his formative experiences were the recitals given by his fellow countryman and friend, Dr. Albert Schweitzer, on the historic Silberman organ—dating from the time of Bach—at St. Thomas Church. At one time Eduard Nies-Berger played the organ at St. Nicolai Church which Dr. Schweitzer officiated as pastor.

After attending courses at the Municipal Conservatory of Music at Strasbourg, he pursued his musical studies in Milan, Salzburg and Vienna. After a brilliant debut in Chicago in 1929 he settled in America and became an American citizen. Today Eduard Nies-Berger is recognized as an organ virtuoso of first rank. He has given recitals from coast to coast.

In 1941 the American Guild of Organists presented him as recitalist in the National Convention of Organists in Washington, D. C. and in 1942 at St. Bartholomew's Church, New York. He has appeared as soloist with the National Orchestra Association, and other leading orchestras.

His flair for the baton and his musical temperament attracted him to the Symphony orchestra. He has conducted important orchestras in Europe before discriminating audiences and critics with outstanding success.

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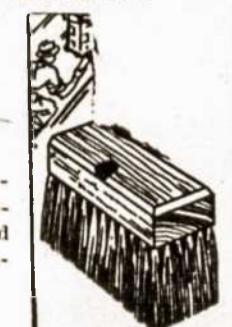
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TOWN TOPICS

Miss Adelia Cembalisty and Mrs. Edward Liewer of this town left Wednesday for a visit at Rib Lake, Wisconsin where they will attend the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss Helen Maslanka and spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Haskell on Saturday, June 3rd observed the 25th anniversary of their wedding and friends took advantage of the event to greet them and send many cards of congratulations. Mrs. Haskell is the efficient town clerk for the town.

The local Health Council will hold a well-child conference next Monday and Tuesday, June 12 and 13 under the supervision of Mrs. Williams, our health nurse, at the town hall. All children from six months to school age may be brought by their parents for examinations. The doctor will be Dr. John H. Olson of Colrain and Mrs. Marion Warman of Greenfield will be the nutritionist. Members of the local Council will assist.

Miss Janet Kehl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kehl of Parker Avenue, has completed her Freshman year at State College, and is inspecting bomb fuses at the Westinghouse Electric Company in Springfield during her summer vacation.

Miss Natalie Briesmaster spent last week in New York City. Miss Beverly Briesmaster is at her home, Valley Vista Inn, doing private duty nursing here for a time.

Sunday morning, June 11, there will be a baccalaureate service for the Seniors graduating from our High school at the Congregational church with Dr. J. Glover Johnson delivering the address.

Automobiles on the highways in this state are soon to be checked by order of Registrar Goodwin to see that all labels, plates and papers are in order. No date is in announced. Be sure your car is in order.

Lawrence S. Quinlan of Meadow Street has transferred his property on the north side of Meadow Street to Lawrence D. and Raymond J. Quinlan, according to a deed filed at the Registry.

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Dr. H. F. Cutler greeted many friends recently at his home on Highland Avenue on the day of his 82nd birthday.

Several members of the Episcopal church residing here attended the special services at St. James church in Greenfield Sunday morning marking the 40th anniversary of the ordination of the rector, Rev. John B. Whiteman. A reception and tea was held on the parish lawn in the afternoon.

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Wounded in the back by a shell fragment from heavy enemy submarine fire, Charles Richardson, Able Seaman, Merchant Marine, went to the rescue of two severely wounded Navy members when the abandon ship order was given. During the rescue he defended himself and his helpless companions from sharks. He was able to save one of the crew and himself. Decrease the dangers of these men; buy War Bonds and hold 'em.

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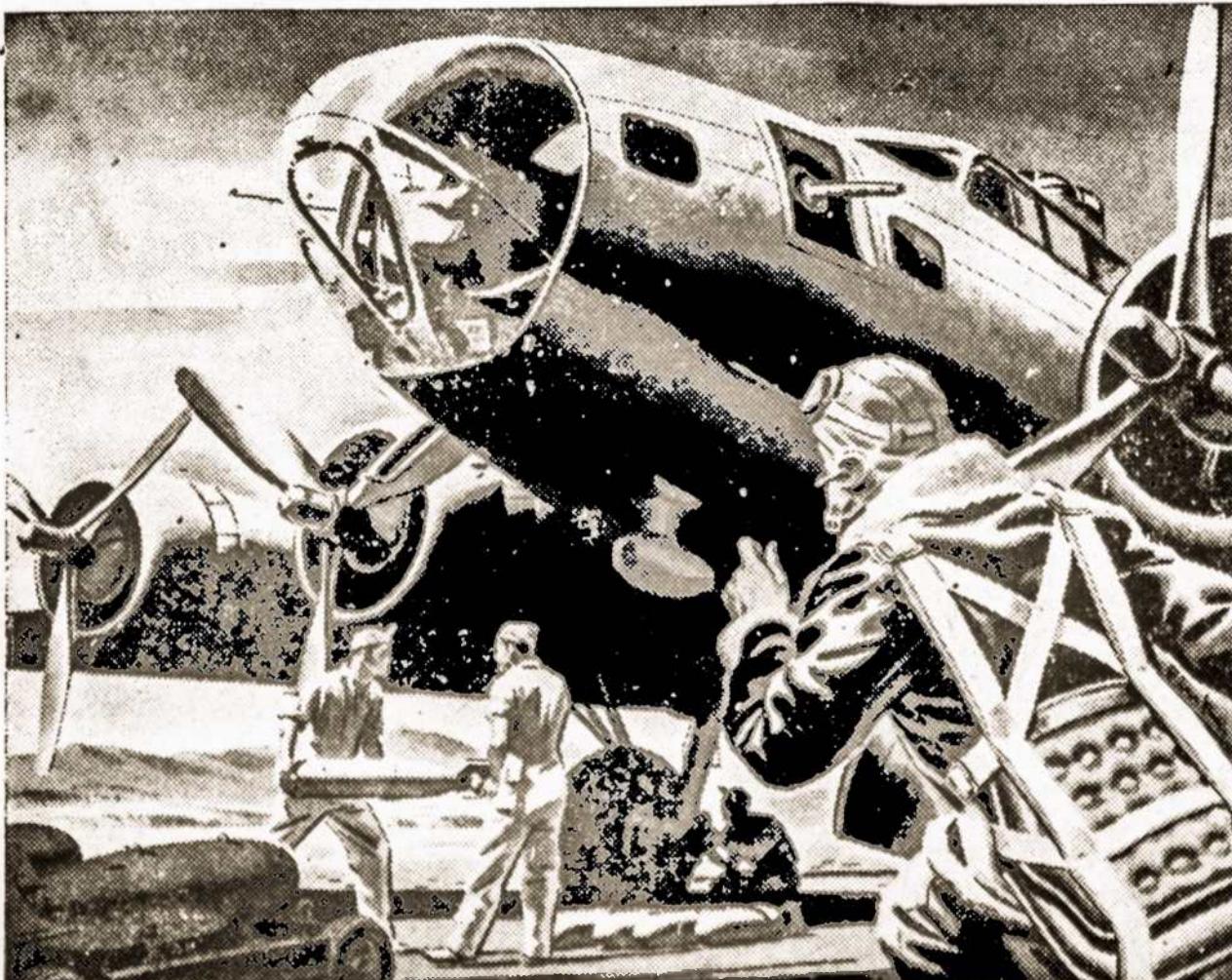
When war broke out, Marine Sgt. Maier J. Rothschild of New York City was studying journalism at night, selling stocks in Wall Street daytime. On December 31, 1941, 24 days after Pearl Harbor, he enlisted. He's been awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in hand to hand bayonet combat, and the Navy Cross for fighting off and killing 95 out of 150 of the enemy storming a machine-gun emplacement. He's not giving up until we win. And you? Are you still buying that extra War Bond?

U. S. Treasury Department



Wounded when struck by antitank and artillery fire, Staff Sgt. George W. Mollett, Indianapolis, dismounted from his tank to assist a wounded crew member. Unable to stand because of his wound, he directed his vehicle to cover, crawled back to safety under heavy machine gun fire. He lives—and wears a Silver Star. We who are protected must buy more War Bonds than ever before!

U. S. Treasury Department



HE'S OFF ON HIS FIFTY-FIFTH MISSION

There he goes again—out to pour more destruction on the Axis—once more to face the death of enemy fighters and flak!

He won't hesitate to go out on his fifty-sixth or his hundred and fifty-sixth mission. He knows he might not come back, but he keeps on going—giving more and more until the Hitler and



Tojo crews are ready to "call it quits."

This is only your fifth mission—and a mission which is mighty easy in comparison with the ones he makes every week.

Stay in the fight by welcoming the Victory Volunteers—at least double your Bond purchases and then keep on. Your buying means "bombs away" for the Axis!

To the People of this Community

This is a home front communiqué on the most vital war action now in progress in every community of the land—the Fifth War Loan.

We are advancing on our objective. However, we must make certain that we reach and pass our goal by July 8. This can be done if every one of us puts something extra of ourselves into the fight.

Now is the time to rally that it is an American trait to go into a sprint with the goal in sight.

We started this push June 12. Reports from every city and town in America tell us that the number of individual buyers of extra War Bonds today has reached an unprecedented total. We all know that in addition to numbers we need fire power. Your extra War Bond is absolutely essential. The greater the stimulus of War Bonds, the easier it will be for us to get this war over.

This very moment our boys are waging a life-and-death struggle. Every additional War Bond you buy will play its part in the outcome. Last month's War Bond, last week's War Bond, yesterday's War Bond are already in the embattled foxholes. Today is another day for the home front just as yesterday is another day for the boys on the battlefronts.

THE EDITOR.

NOW FOR THE BIG PUSH!



IT'S "ZERO HOUR" ON THE HOME FRONT, TOO!

THIS IS IT! This is the big push you have been waiting for! This is the "zero hour"! Our fighting men are ready—ready to strike anywhere . . . anytime . . . anyhow . . . BAR NOTHING!

What about you? Are you ready to match this spirit with your War Bond purchases? Every bond you

buy is so much more power behind the big push . . . the push that will send Hitler and Tojo into oblivion.

Get behind the invasion drive! Invest MORE than ever before! Double . . . triple . . . what you've done in any previous drive. The job is big—you've got to dig!



Back the Attack! - BUY MORE THAN BEFORE!

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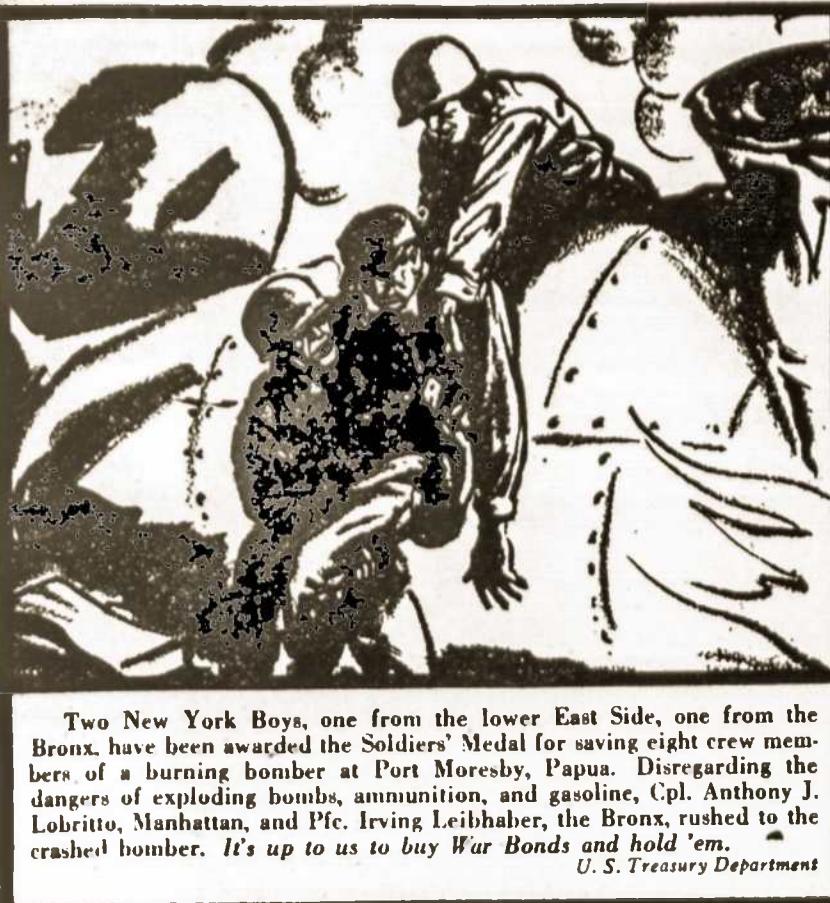
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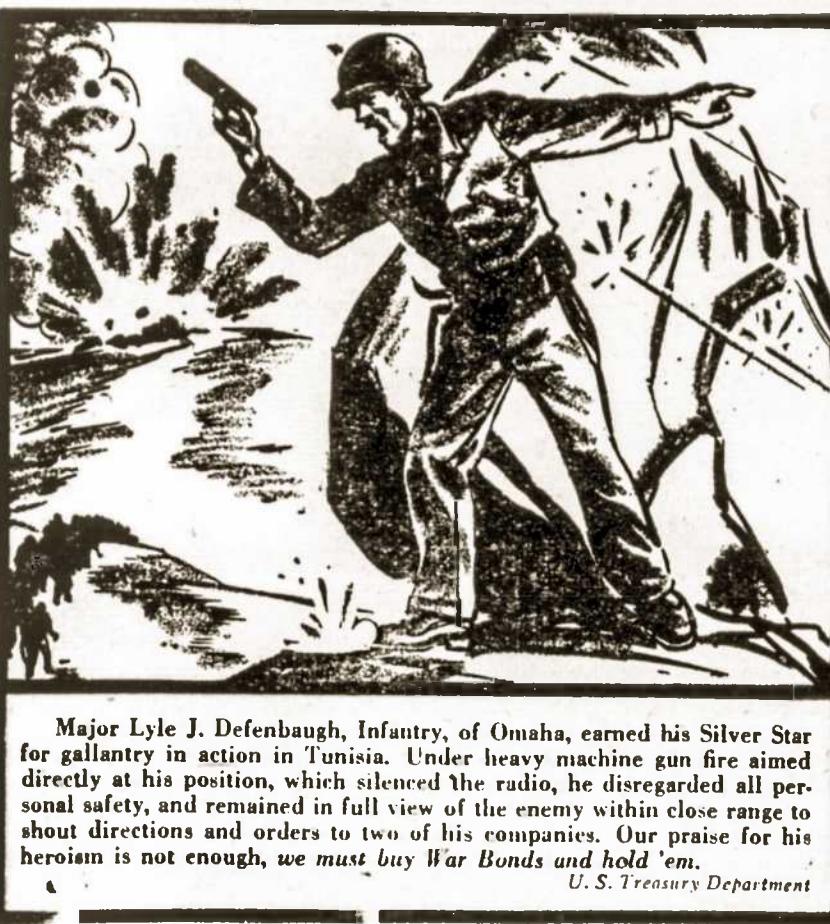
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AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



Two New York Boys, one from the lower East Side, one from the Bronx, have been awarded the Soldiers' Medal for saving eight crew members of a burning bomber at Port Moresby, Papua. Disregarding the dangers of exploding bombs, ammunition, and gasoline, Cpl. Anthony J. Lobritto, Manhattan, and Pfc. Irving Leibhaber, the Bronx, rushed to the crashed bomber. *It's up to us to buy War Bonds and hold 'em.*
U. S. Treasury Department



Major Lyle J. Defenbaugh, Infantry, of Omaha, earned his Silver Star for gallantry in action in Tunisia. Under heavy machine gun fire aimed directly at his position, which silenced the radio, he disregarded all personal safety, and remained in full view of the enemy within close range to shout directions and orders to two of his companies. Our praise for his heroism is not enough, *we must buy War Bonds and hold 'em.*
U. S. Treasury Department

The battle for the World is on!



NOW THAT the chips are down... now that our men are writing decisive history with their blood...

There can be no halfway measures for us.

The greatest battle in the history of the world *must* be matched by the greatest war loan in the history of the world.

That's what Uncle Sam says... the same Uncle Sam for whom your brothers and sweethearts



and husbands are fighting and dying this very minute.

They, in the front lines, are throwing in everything they have.

We, behind the lines, must do the same.

Remember, this is the battle for the WORLD. Our world. And we've got to win it. That's why Uncle Sam expects every dollar, like every soldier, to do its duty.

• Put this Fifth War Loan over... buy more War Bonds than you think you can!

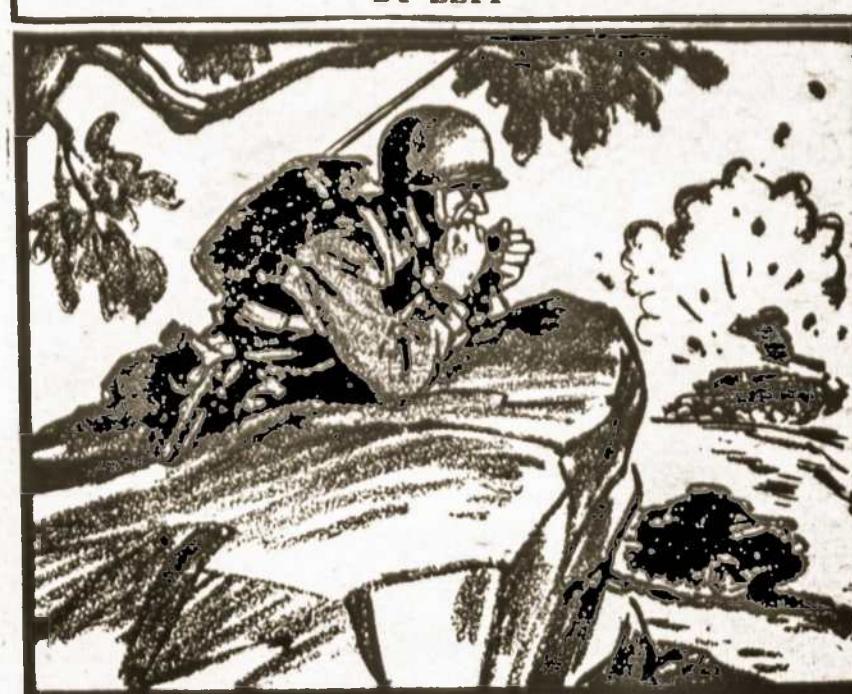
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The Northfield Schools

DR. WILLIAM E. PARK, President

AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



Pfc. William C. Kelly, of Silver Spring, Maryland, was on observation post duty for his front line regiment in Italy. He spotted German mortar and machine gun emplacements, reporting to artillery observer to direct fire. Hastily he advised the CP with compass directions in place of artillery technical data. A third trial round hit squarely on the enemy. *We must buy War Bonds and hold 'em with the same constant eye on the enemy.*
U. S. Treasury Department



George Sylvester Cronk, Second Assistant Engineer, Merchant Marine, was the sole surviving officer of a shattered ship. In the only lifeboat that could be launched he succeeded in rescuing 19 survivors in the stormy seas. Cronk brought his boat safely to land after 31 days. *Are you buying more War Bonds than ever before?*
U. S. Treasury Department

His patriotism is written in BLOOD.



Yours is written on every Bond you buy

in the 5TH WAR LOAN!

THE stepping stones to victory are red with blood of American heroes. Tarawa... Salerno... Cassino. Their patriotism is written in blood.

Your patriotism is written on every Bond you buy in this vital 5th War Loan. Your name on a War Bond means you're behind our invasion troops.

Help hasten the day of Victory by investing in extra War

Bonds now. Invest in more than you've ever purchased before. Invest \$100, \$200, \$300, \$400. Those who can, must invest thousands of dollars.

For this is the biggest job we've ever had to do. We can't fail our fighting men as they plunge into the biggest and bloodiest struggle of all.

WELCOME THE VICTORY VOLUNTEERS when they call to tell you about War Bonds



To the People of this Community

There are many urgent reasons for buying War Bonds. First, the invasion needs money. Bonds pay for planes and guns and munitions with which to beat the Axis. Our fighting men must have the best possible equipment and it is up to us to let our money provide that.

A second reason is this: There is a shortage of goods now. Later on there will be plenty for civilian desires. Money put into War Bonds now will be available then. Business opportunities will be open then, too, and the "nest egg" saved now may hatch out commercial then.

Money put into War Bonds now will be deprived of its current potentiality as a part of the causes of inflation. You will be doing your part toward stabilizing the money situation by buying Bonds instead of dwindling stocks. That is a third reason.

But the best reason from a selfish viewpoint is this: Right now there is no better investment than War Bonds. There is no safer repository for your money. By buying Bonds you become a stockholder in the strongest "going" concern in the world today, the United States of America.

THE EDITOR.

DRIVE IT HOME!



"That's the way I like to see them," said Gen.

MacArthur when he saw the rows of dead Japs in the Admiralty Islands. In this war—the costliest, cruellest war of all time—our boys must fight with savage fury. Kill or be killed! And on how well each plays his part depends the lives of many of his buddies.

Here on the home front, too, just cheering the attack on isn't enough.

That's why there's a Fifth War Bond drive on now, a drive in which you're needed to support the men on the fighting fronts who are facing

the most treacherous forces Americans have ever met in combat. We on the home front can't let them down—and we won't. So resolve now to at least double your bond buying in the 5th War Loan drive. This is the time to do better than your best.



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